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AMCONSUL SAO PAULO

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E. O. 11652: N/A TAGS/ BEXP, BR

SUBJ: U.S. SPECIALIZED TEXTILE MACHINERY TRADE MISSION

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- 1. POSTS WELCOME TRADE MISSION VISIT AND CONCUR IN DATES PROVIDED FOR SAO PAULO AND RECIFE. WISH POINT OUT, HOWEVER, THAT DATES FOR BRAZIL COINCIDE WITH FENIT FAIR IN ANHEMBI PARK WHICH IS HEAVILY ATTENDED BY TEXTILE TRADE IN BRAZIL.
- 2. ON BASIS REFTEL, CONGEN SAO PAULO HAS BOOKED 12 SINGLES (235 CRUZEIROS EACH) AND ONE SUITE (400 CRUZEIROS) AT HOTEL OTHON PALACE FROM JUNE 9-13 INCLUSIVE. OTHON PALACE ONLY FIRST CLASS HOTEL AVAILABLE THESE DATES. CONGEN WOULD APPRECIATE CONFIRMATION ARRIVAL DATE SAO PAULO.
- 3. CONGEN SAO PAULO CAN ALSO RENT BIC PREMISES AT OTHON PALACE FOR 80 CRUZEIROS PER HOUR. BIC OPERATION MOST LIKELY RESTRICTED TO MORNING HOURS ONLY AS FENIT FAIR WILL RUN FROM 1500 TO 2300 HOURS DAILY. OWING TO FAIR HOURS RECEPTION TO BE ALL EFFECTIVE WILL HAVE TO BE HELD AT ANHEMBI. EXACT COST ESTIMATES NOT YET AVAILABLE BUT CAN BE EXPECTED TO BE EXTREMELY HIGH. UNCLASSIFIED

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4. WE AGREE THAT THERE IS ENOUGH TEXTILE ACTIVITY IN NORTHEAST TO WARRANT TRADE MISSION VISIT TO RECIFE. HOWEVER, COMMERCIAL OFFICER POSITION RECIFE VACANT AND POST HAS ONLY ONE COMMERCIAL LOCAL TO HANDLE WORKLOAD. IT WILL REQUIRE ASSISTANCE FROM RIO TO HELP ORGANIZE MISSION ACTIVITIES. THIS ASSISTANCE SHOULD INCLUDE CONGEN RIO OFFICERS PARTICIPATION ADVANCE MAN VISIT AS WELL AS MISSION VISIT ITSELF. POST HAS RESERVED 12 SINGLES AND ONE SUITE AT HOTEL MIRAMAR IN RECIFE.

5. IN VIEW CLOSE TIMING, URGE MISSION ADVANCE MAN VISIT SAO PAULO AND RECIFE ASAP. MILLER

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